

Physics coordinator report

2015 overview 2016 schedule Safety & access B. 508 & 275

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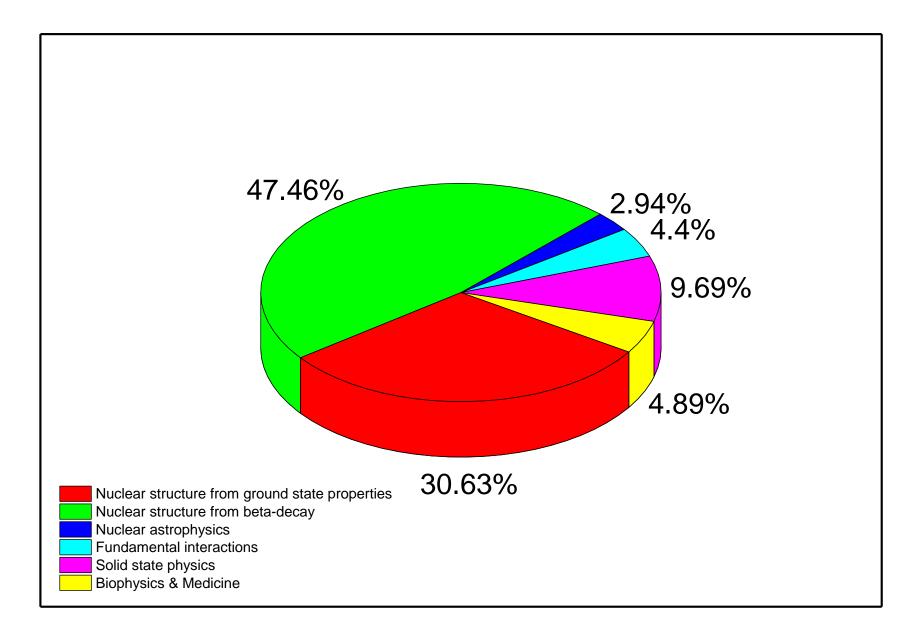
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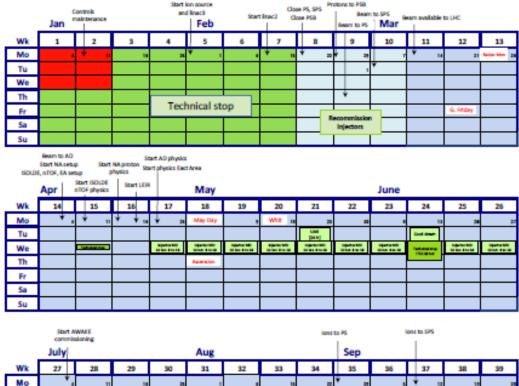
- Protons to ISOLDE on 9 April
- Physics started April 15
- Low energy until October when HIE-ISOLDE started. Running period of 30 weeks.
- Since 22nd October, in special "HIE-ISOLDE mode
- 471 Low Energy shifts requested
- 373 scheduled; 265 delivered ~70%

Delivered	2015	2014	2012	2011
Protons	9.4e19	5.5e19	11.5e19	8.05e19
Shifts for IS exp	263	208.5	416	313.5
Shifts for LOIs	4	6.5	15.5	16
REX shifts (IS +LOI)	Special	-	221.5	190.5
Average IS shifts/day	1.4	1.55	1.61	1.55



Beam time pie for 2015

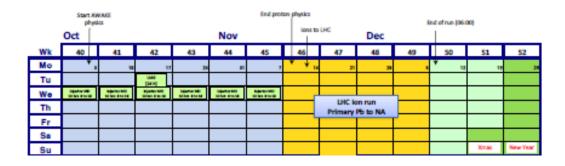




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Schedule for 2016

Based on the length of the YETS 2015-16 & EYETS 16-17 [ATS-PM-MS-0001]:

- Beam to LHC: March 14th.
- Physics at Isolde & nTOF: April 11th.
- p-physics at North Area: April 18th. (Awake October 3rd)
- East Area & AD physics: April 25th. •
- Proton -> Pb November 14th.
- End of run December 12th. •

INTC physics: 31 weeks. (~1.8x10¹⁹ pot for nTOF) NA FT physics: 30 weeks (p) + 4 weeks (Pb)

AD & EA: 29 weeks.

Weekly MDs, 3 Technical stops, UA9 runs indicative (tbd by SPSC). SPS scrubbing likely needed, but no dedicated scrubbing run.

HIE-ISOLDE Experiments Workshop 1.2.2016

First conclusions

- 24 approved proposals ask for beam time in 2016
- Full energy range of accelerator up to 6.0 MeV/u
- Mass range from ¹⁸N up to ²²⁸Ra
- MINIBALL configuration for Coulomb excitation and transfer reactions will be installed for 2016 campaign
- Combination with SPEDE is available after successful stable beam commissioning in summer 2016
- High number of experiments should be provided to user community
- Everyone is eagerly awaiting the HIE-ISOLDE beams

Outline of ISOLDE Schedule

	April					May				June			
Wk	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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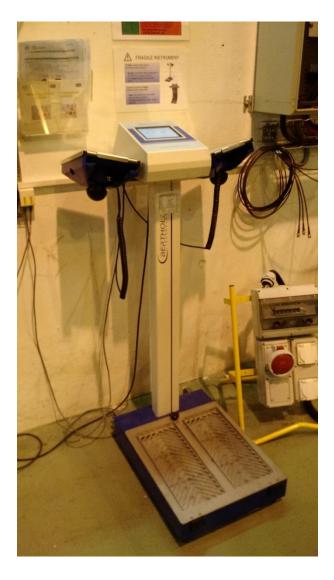
- 20 weeks for dedicated LE physics, including negative ion run (~ 3 weeks in total)
- LE beam requests are out and due by end of week 5.
- Initial idea of demands and resources by end of next week.
- 12 weeks for HIE ISOLDE
- HIE beam requests end of next week.
- Setting up time needs to be taken into account.

Safety and Courses

For all setups: both fixed and travelling: safety clearance required before running

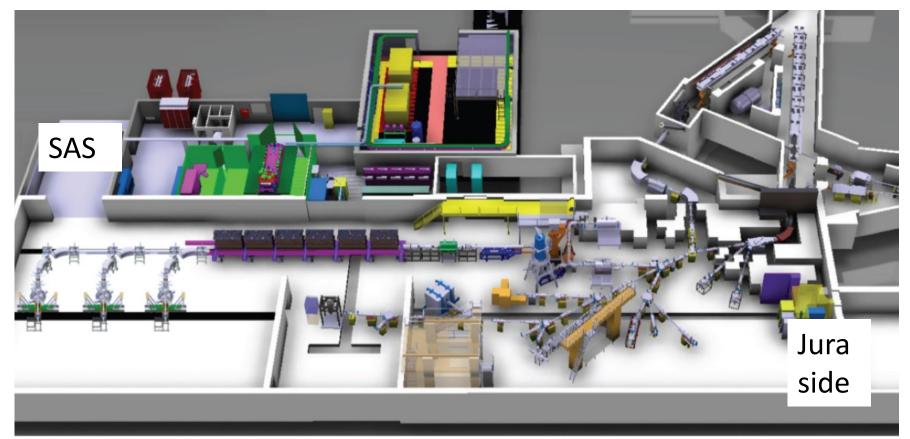
- Courses in 2016 for all: (as for 2015)
 - Online: general and ISOLDE RP, electrical awareness
 - 2-h ISOLDE RP
 - 1.5-h ISOLDE electrical safety.
 - Hands-on courses take place on Tuesday afternoons. More sessions may be possible later in the year if necessary, e.g. during HIE-ISOLDE period.
 - Some training under review e.g. electrical course.
 - Need for refreshing courses etc (probably going to be electronic for the first renewal at least).
 - Courses need to be validated in EDH and are now linked to access

- Ongoing discussion: safety helmets and shoes?
- Adopt better practice for controlling on leaving the hall...



Access to ISOLDE

- ISOWORK has been suppressed. Now only **ISOHALL**.
- Access to HIE-ISOLDE recommended for only local physicists when moving equipment or dewars etc
- Access for users is still at the Jura side.
 - Tourniquet at 508 controls access to the hall in addition to access door in Building 508. Both operated via dosemeter.
 - Door to the hall is no longer controlled by the CERN card.

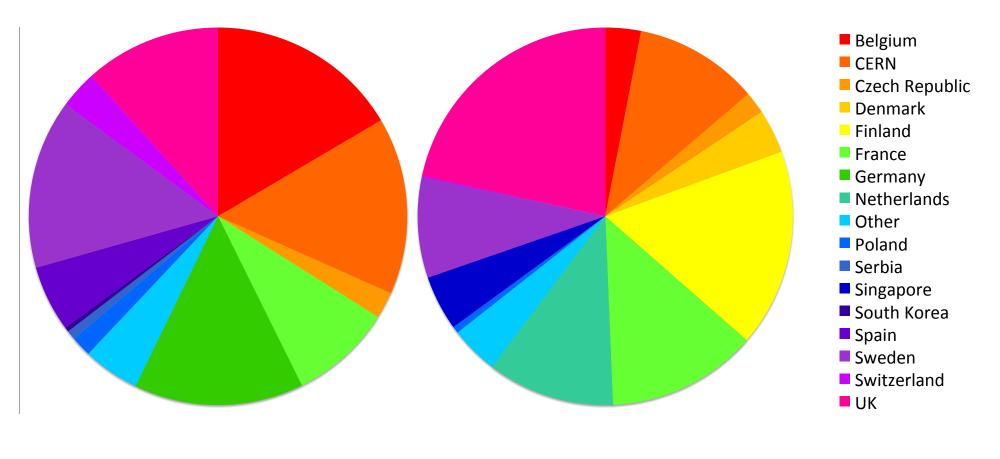




Visits to ISOLDE

- ISOLDE as Controlled RP area:
- Only professional visits allowed
 - Our suggestion university students, uni and school teachers, VIPs
- Non-professional visits access on case-by-case basis
 - High-school students above 16y
 - Private-public visits: friends, family
- No visits during the opening of beamlines or making high-intensity collections
- All visits
 - announced to myself, Richard, or Kara
 - Included in weekly schedule
 - discussed and approved or not in Tuesday Isolde technical meeting
 - Dedicated calendar available https://espace.cern.ch/isolde-visitsinfo/_layouts/15/start.aspx#/Lists/Calendar/calendar.aspx
- RP make a survey prior to <u>each</u> visit.
- Wear helmets and closed shoes.

ISOLDE Visits: Nationality of visitor



2014 Total visitors: 745

2015 Total visitors: 857

Thanks to Kara lynch

Building 508



- Rack for p-request, beamgates and access in place.
- Access keys modules will be installed in it this week
- p-request and beamgates hardware is being prepared.
- Ethernet re-connection of PCs is ongoing.

ISOLDE Visitors room



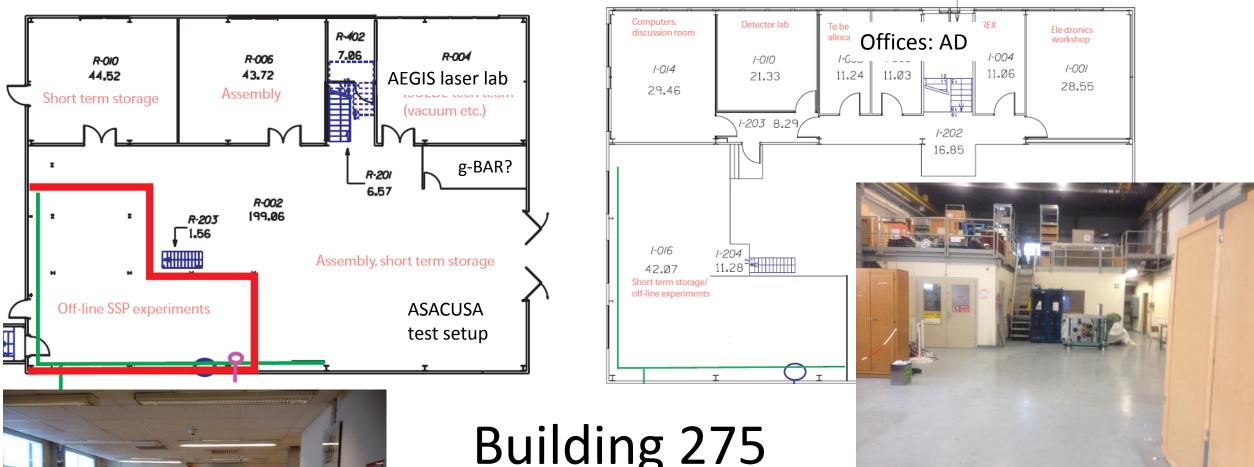
Building 508: Kitchen



Almost there....needs final plumbing

Tooling area available for users: requires clearance







Building 275

Offline lab almost ready (floor needs to be re-done). De-classification is underway. Requests for use are ready to be accepted. Currently ISOLTRAP and beta-NMR will use some space and time.